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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

Applicant hereby requests continued examination of the above-captioned application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. The application is a non-provisional application that was filed on or after June 8, 1995.

This request is being submitted after the filing of a Notice of Appeal and thus is to be considered as a request to withdraw the appeal and to reopen prosecution. Enclosed is an amendment that is responsive to the final Office Action mailed on January 21, 2009.

Applicant hereby authorizes the Office to charge Deposit Account No. 03-2095 in the amount of \$405 in payment of the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) for this Request for Continued Examination.

• If there are any additional charges or any credits, please apply them to Deposit Account
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Respectfully submitted,

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